

Remark

As an initial matter, the Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for his careful search and the finding of allowable subject matter. The Applicant proposes herein amendments to correct clerical errors. Claims 1, 10, 15, 18, 19, 23, and 28 have been amended. The purpose of the amendment is to modify the claims to conform to proper antecedent basis and correct minor errors.

It is submitted that the amendment merely corrects a formality with regard to independent claims 1, 10, 15, 18, 19, 23, and 28 does not affect the scope of the claims.

Conclusion

Since the proposed amendments merely embody the correction of formal matters, and do not affect the scope of the claims, the Applicant respectfully requests their entry.

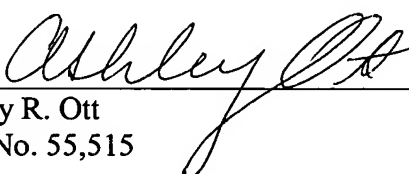
Invitation for a telephone interview

The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (303) 740-1980 if there is any issue with the allowance of this case as amended.

Respectfully submitted,

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